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Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Masayuki TANAKA) Group Art Unit: 2813
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Application No.: 10/633,615) Examiner: Bryant, Deloris S.
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Filed: August 5, 2003) Confirmation No. 5383
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND)
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
THE SAME)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2005, the period for response to which extends through December 20, 2005, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Abstract are set forth beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are made in the attached replacement sheet and are discussed in the **Remarks** section of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

Attachments to this Amendment: One (1) sheet of drawings, labeled "Replacement Sheet," containing amended Fig. 7, and Fig. 8.